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ASSIGNMENT

FOR valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which is hereby acknowledged, I, Anni Rosa Coden, a citizen of the United States, and a resident of Bronx, New York, USA and I, Eric William Brown, a citizen of the United States and a resident of New Fairfield, Connecticut, USA, have invented certain new and useful improvements in

**SYSTEM, METHOD AND APPARATUS PROVIDING COLLATERAL INFORMATION
FOR A VIDEO/AUDIO STREAM**

hereby assigns to INTERNATIONAL BUSINESS MACHINES CORPORATION, a corporation having its principal office at OLD ORCHARD ROAD, ARMONK, NEW YORK, 10504 (hereinafter referred to as "Assignee"), of the entire right, title and interest in and to such invention, together with the patent rights and rights of protection to the same throughout the world, including the rights to claim priority, and including any patent rights which may result from the application for United States Letters Patent which was filed in the United States Patent and Trademark Office on October 25, 2000, and assigned U.S. Application Serial No. _____, and any continuation, divisions, continuation-in-part applications, inventor's certificate and extensions thereof, preparatory to obtaining Letters Patent of the United States therefor; said invention, application and Letters Patent to be held and enjoyed by said Assignee for their own use and behoof and for the use and behoof of their successors and assigns, to the full end of the term for which said Letters Patent or other rights of protection may be granted as entirely as the same would have been held and enjoyed by us had the assignment not been made.

AND WE COVENANT and AGREE and WARRANT that we have a full and unencumbered title to the invention hereby assigned, and we further covenant and agree that we have the right to grant such rights to said invention and application and

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Letters Patent and that we will, at any time upon request without cost to us or further compensation, execute and deliver any and all papers or instruments that, in the opinion of the Assignee, may be necessary or desirable to secure said Assignee the full enjoyment of the rights and properties herein conveyed or intended to be conveyed by this instrument.

IN WITNESS WHEREFORE, we have hereunto set our hands:

Date: 10/27, 2000 Anni Rosa Coden
By: Anni Rosa Coden

Date: 10/27, 2000 Eric William Brown
By: Eric William Brown

DECLARATION AND POWER OF ATTORNEY FOR PATENT APPLICATION

Docket No. YOR9-2000-0452

As below named inventors, we hereby declare that:

Our residences, post office addresses and citizenships are as stated below next to our respective names.

We believe we are the original, and first joint inventors of the subject matter which is claimed and for which a patent is sought on the invention entitled:

SYSTEM, METHOD AND APPARATUS PROVIDING COLLATERAL INFORMATION FOR A VIDEO/AUDIO STREAM

the specification of which

(check one) X is attached hereto.

 was filed on as Application Serial No.
and was amended on (if applicable).

We hereby state that we have reviewed and understand the contents of the above identified specification, including the claims, as amended by any amendment referred to above.

We acknowledge the duty to disclose to the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office all information known to us to be material to the patentability of this application as defined in Title 37, Code of Federal Regulations, §1.56.

We hereby claim foreign priority benefits under Title 35, United States Code, §119 of any foreign application(s) for patent or inventor's certificate(s) listed below and have also identified below any foreign application(s) for patent or inventor's certificate(s) having a filing date before that of the application on which priority is claimed:

<u>Prior Foreign Application(s)</u>			<u>Priority Claimed</u>
<u> </u> No (Number)	<u> </u> (Country)	<u> </u> (Day/Mon/Year Filed)	<u> Yes </u>
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We hereby claim the benefit under Title 35, United States Code, §120 of any United States application(s) listed below and, insofar as the subject matter of each of the claims of this application is not disclosed in the prior United States application in the manner provided by the first paragraph of Title 35, United States Code, §112, we acknowledge the duty to disclose material information as defined in Title 37, Code of Federal Regulations, §1.56(a) which

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occurred between the filing date of the prior application and the national or PCT international filing date of this application:

60/218,966	July 17, 2000	Pending
(Application Serial No.)	(Filing Date)	(Status - patent, pend., abandon.)
60/193,910	March 31, 2000	Pending
(Application Serial No.)	(Filing Date)	(Status - patent, pend., abandon.)

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We hereby declare that all statements made herein of our own knowledge are true and that all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true; and further that these statements were made with the knowledge that willful false statements and the like so made are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under Section 1001 of Title 18 of the United States Code and that such willful false statements may jeopardize the validity of the application or any patent issued thereon.

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